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Sir:

The Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections shown in red ink on the attached prints is respectfully requested.

Upon receipt of approval and a Notice of Allowance, the corrections will be made by a bonded draftsman in accordance with current Patent Office practice.

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FIGURE 3

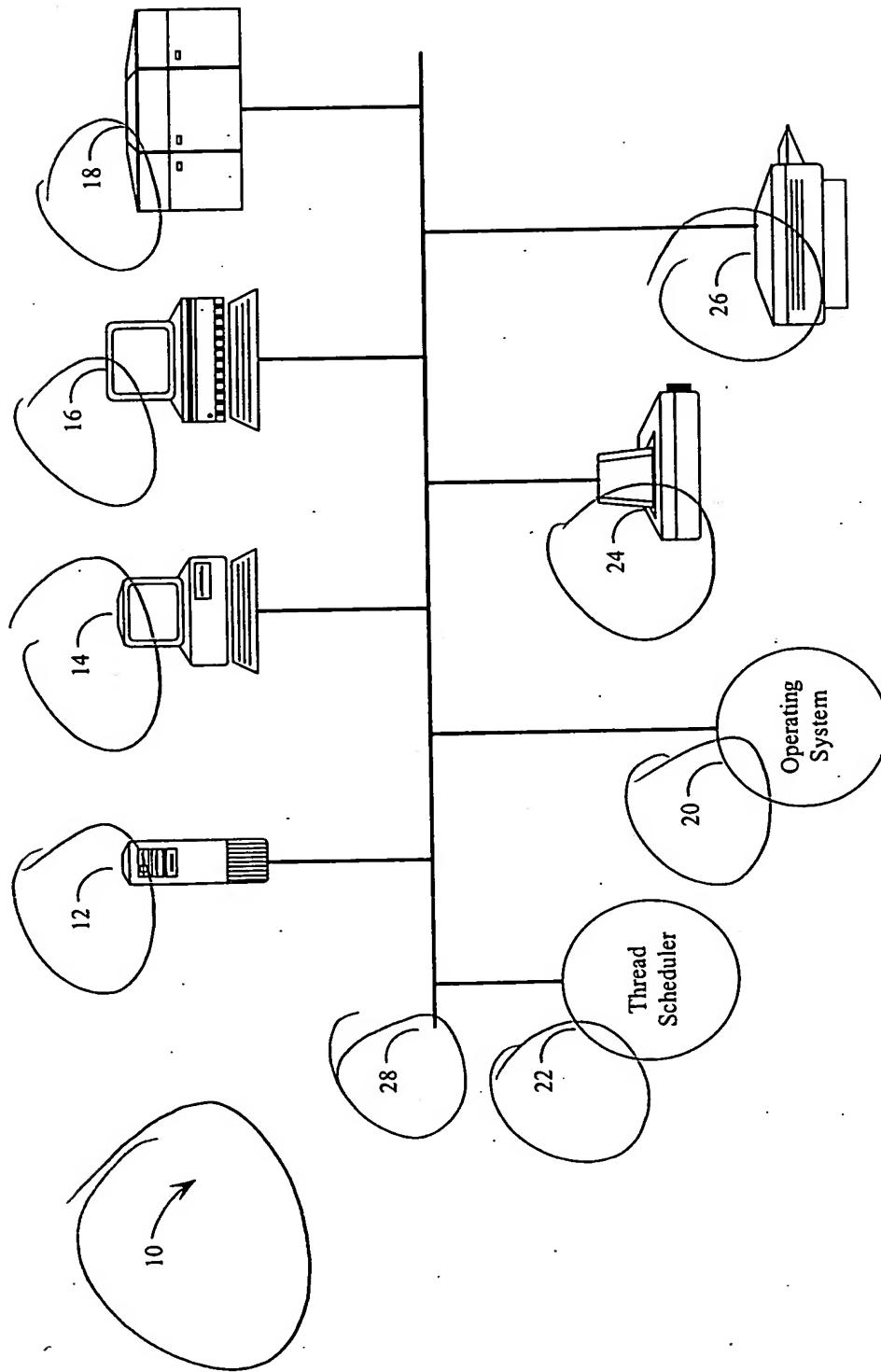
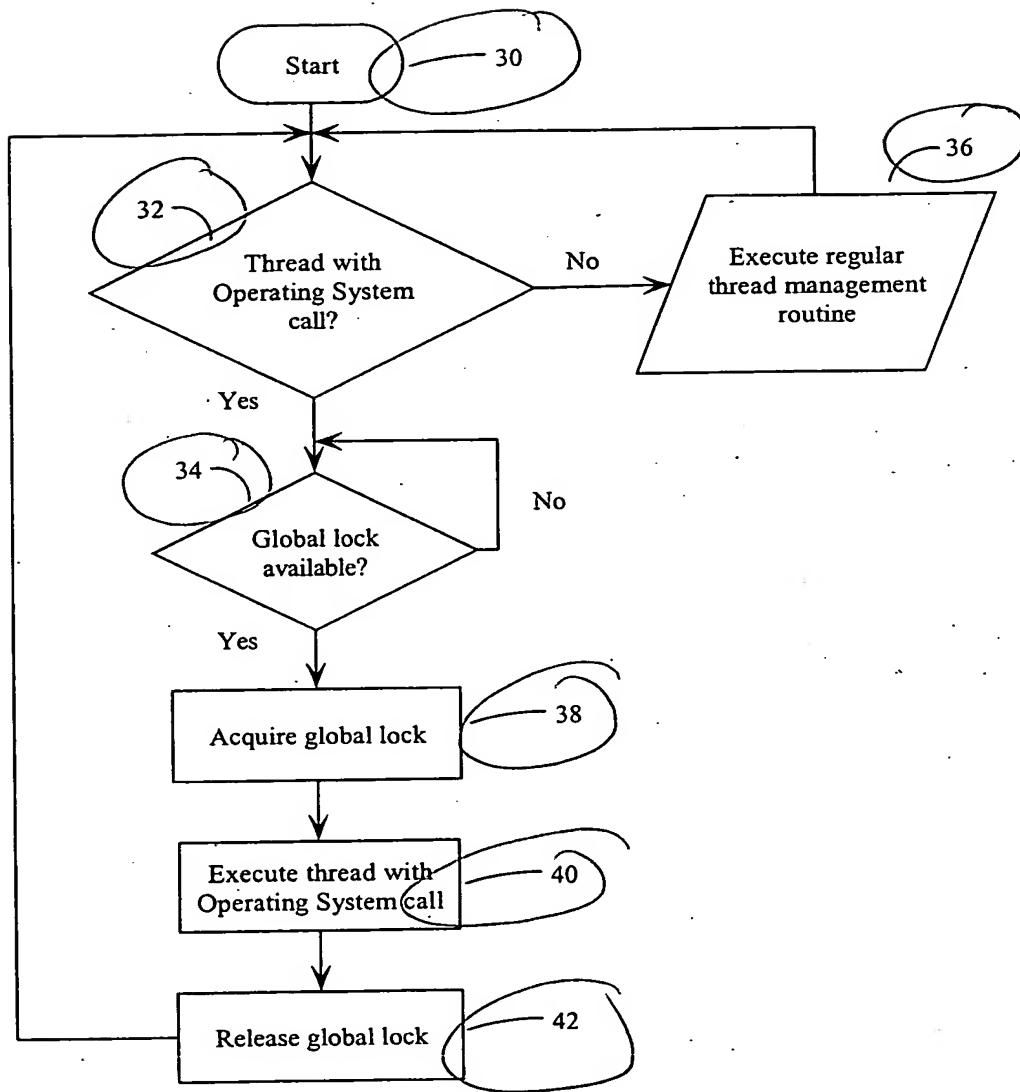




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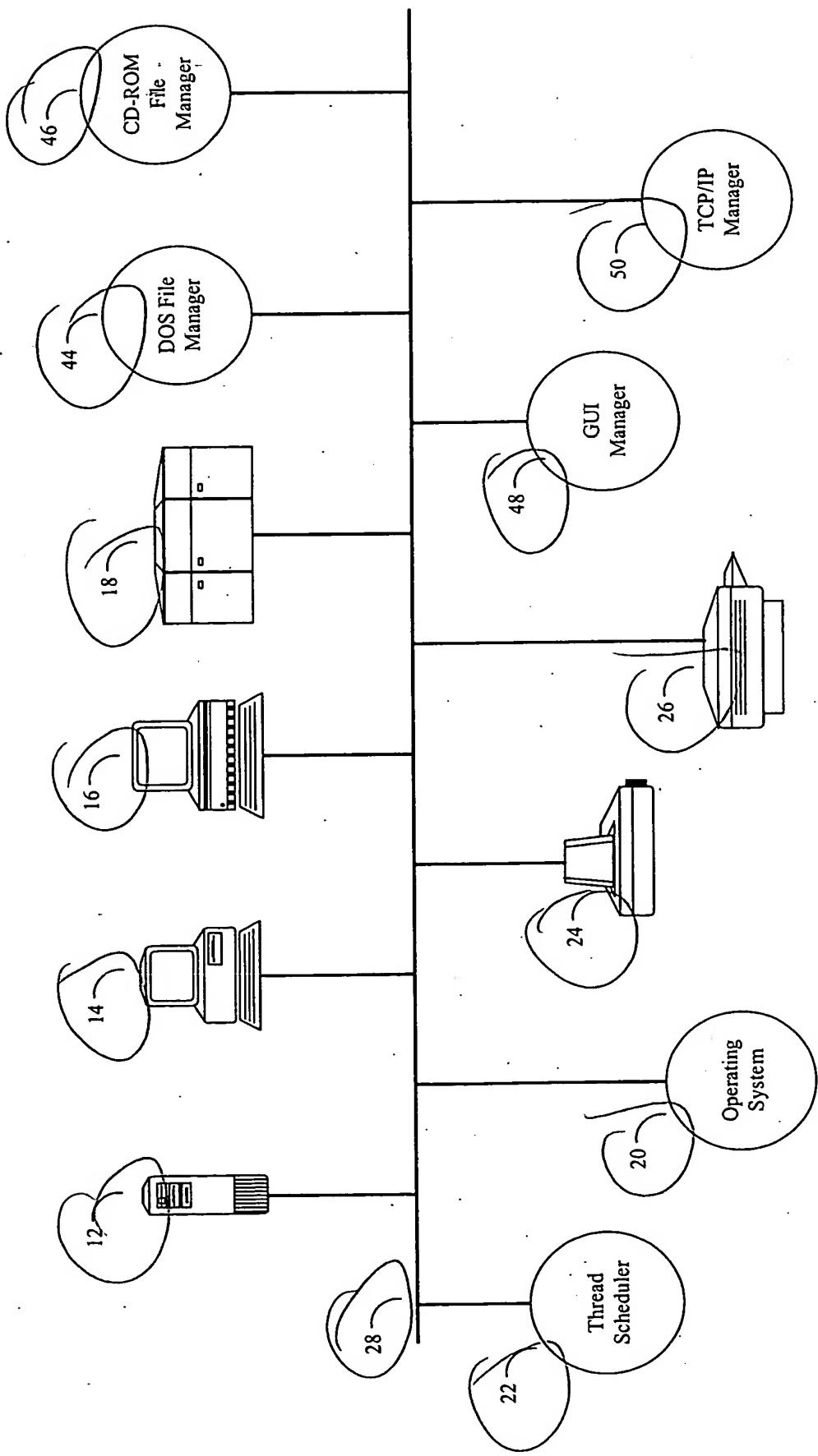


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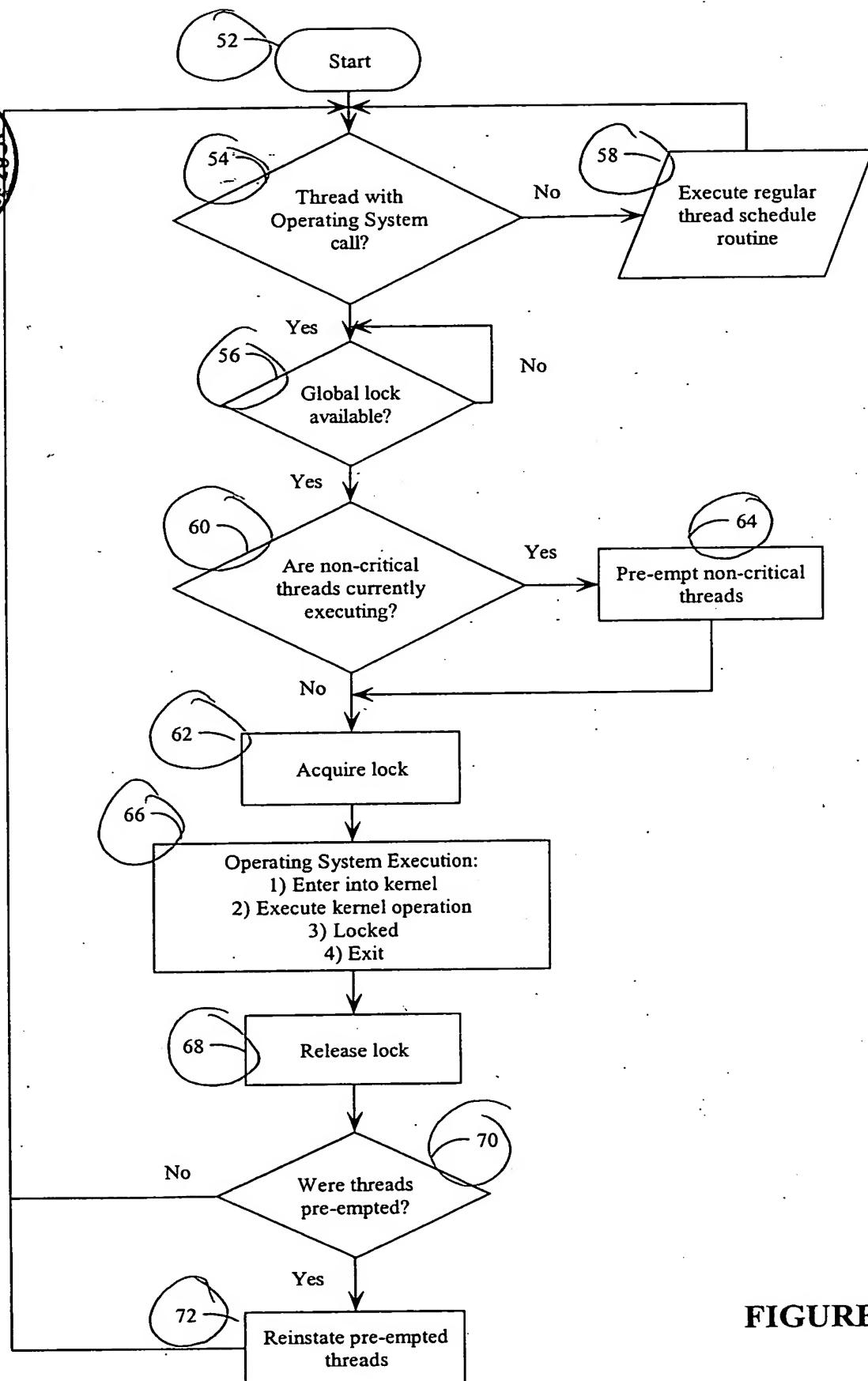


FIGURE 7